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APPENDIX I

CSHCS MEDICAL DIAGNOSES and POSSIBLE RELATED SPECIALTIES

This table is meant to be used as guidance in determining possible specialists that may be related to a specific diagnosis and then added to the provider list for a specific child.

General Information

- Almost all families will be connected to a Regional Pediatric Center set of providers, both clinics and physician specialists
- Hospitals are included
- Most preferred specialists are pediatric subspecialists; as the child gets older (i.e. late teens), more adult providers would be utilized
- For exceptions to allow primary care physicians to be authorized, see 22.6-A

CONDITION	SPECIALTY PROVIDERS (Possibly Related)
Anomaly of Face/Skull Note: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If the child is put up as infant this usually indicates craniosynostosis and only the neurosurgeon is needed • Older children have major facial anomalies and are often seen by a team of specialists 	Anesthesiologist Craniofacial anomaly clinic Hospitals Lab Neurosurgeon Pharmacy Plastic surgeon Radiologist Radiology (often – audiologist, dentist, ENT, ophthalmologist, oral surgeon, orthodontist, prosthodontist)
Asthma	Allergist or pediatric pulmonologist Hospitals Lab Medical supplier Pharmacy

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Burns	Anesthesiologist Hospitals Lab Medical supplier Occupational and/or physical therapies Plastic surgeon Pharmacy Radiology
Cancer/Leukemia	Anesthesiologist Dental care and sometimes dermatology Lab Home health agencies for IV's Hospitals Medical supplier Pediatric hematologist/oncologist Pharmacy Radiology (If transplant needed then transplant specialists)
Cardiology (heart problems)	Hospitals Lab Medical supplier for O2, etc. Pediatric anesthesiologist Pediatric cardiac surgeon Pediatric cardiologist Pharmacy Radiology
Cerebral Palsy (defect of motor skills and coordination due to brain damage) NOTE: The diagnoses of monoplegia, hemiplegia and quadriplegia may use the same providers as Cerebral Palsy.	Anesthesiologist Hospitals Lab Medical supplier Neurologist, orthopedist and/or physiatrist Occupational, physical, or speech therapies Orthotic supplier Pharmacy Radiology (Possibly Neurosurgeon if shunt needed)
Cleft Palate, Cleft Lip	Anesthesiologist Cleft or craniofacial anomalies clinic Dentist/periodontist ENT (Otolaryngologist) Hospitals

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	Lab Medical supplier Occupation and/or speech therapies Oral surgeon Orthodontist/prosthodontist Pharmacy Plastic surgeon Radiology
Club Feet – see Talipes	
Crossed Eyes – see Esotropia	
Cystic Fibrosis	Cystic fibrosis clinic Dentist, if under 21 years of age Endocrinologist, if diabetes Gastroenterologist occasionally Hospitals Lab Medical supplier Pediatric or adult pulmonologist Pharmacy Radiology Urologist (for males add for date of service only)
Dermatomyositis – see Rheumatoid Arthritis	
Diabetes (insulin dependent)	Hospitals Lab Medical supplier Ophthalmologist, not optometrist Pediatric endocrinologist Pharmacy
Encephalitis/Meningitis, late effects of (Inflammation of the brain)	Audiology Hospitals Lab Medical supplier Occupational, physical or speech therapies Pediatric infectious disease sometimes Pediatric neurologist Pharmacy Radiology
Epilepsy (seizures)	Lab Hospitals Neurologist

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	Pharmacy Radiology
Esotropia/Exotropia (crossed eyes)	Anesthesiologist Hospitals Ophthalmologist Optometric supplies (glasses) Pharmacy Radiology
Growth Hormone Deficiency/Pituitary Dwarfism	Lab Medical supplier Pediatric endocrinologist Pharmacy Radiology
Heart Problems - see Cardiology	
Hemophilia/von Willebrand disease (hereditary blood coagulation defect)	Dentist, if under 21 Hemophilia clinic Hospitals Infectious disease specialist Lab Medical supplier Pediatric or adult hematologist Orthopedists Pharmacy Radiology
Hydrocephalus (fluid in the head)	Anesthesiologist Hospitals Neurologist Neurosurgeon Pharmacy Radiology
Hypertension	Vascular provider Cardiologist
Hypospadias (opening of penis in wrong place)	Anesthesiologist Hospitals Lab Pharmacy Radiology Urologist
Leukemia – see Cancer	
Limb Deformity	Amputee clinic Hospitals Lab

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	Medical supplier Orthopedist Physiatrist Prosthetic supplier Radiology
Lupus – see Rheumatoid Arthritis	
Meningitis, late effects of - see Encephalitis	
Muscular Dystrophy	Cardiologist Hospitals Lab Medical supplier Muscular dystrophy clinic Occupational and/or physical therapies Orthopedist Neurologist Pharmacy Physiatrist or rehab specialist Pulmonologist Radiology
Persistent vomiting (536.2)	Neurologist
Pituitary Dwarfism – see Growth Hormone Deficiency	
Rheumatoid Arthritis (Juvenile), Lupus, Dermatomyositis	Hospitals Lab Medical supplier Occupational and/or physical therapies Ophthalmologist Orthopedist Pediatric rheumatologist Pharmacy Radiology
Scoliosis	Hospitals Lab Medical supplier Occupational and/or physical therapies Orthopedist Orthotic supplier Pharmacy Radiology
Seizures – see Epilepsy	
Sensorineural Hearing Loss (nerve	Audiologist

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damage causing hearing loss)	ENT (Otolaryngologist) Lab Medical supplier Pharmacy Radiology
Serious Otitis Media (fluid in inner ear)	Anesthesiologist (Audiologist – possibly) ENT (Otolaryngologist) Hospital Lab Pharmacy Radiology
Sickle Cell Anemia	Hospitals Lab Pediatric hematologist Pharmacy Sickle cell clinic Radiology
Sleep apnea	Neurologist Pulmonologist
Spina Bifida (myelomeningocele)	Anesthesiologist Hospitals Lab Medical supplier Myelodysplasia clinic Neurosurgeon Occupational and/or physical therapies Pediatric neurologist Pediatric orthopedist Pharmacy Physiatrist Radiology Urologist
Talipes (club feet)	Anesthesiologist Hospitals Lab Medical supplier Orthopedist Orthotic Supplier Physical therapy Radiology
von Willebrand disease (see	

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Hemophilia)	